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ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, DAIRY DEVELOPMENT AND
FISHERIES DEPARTMENT

(AH)

THE TELANGANA STATE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF
INFECTIOUS AND CONTAGIOUS DISEASES IN ANIMALS
(DETENTION OF ANIMALS AT CHECK POST, COMPULSORY
VACCINATION AND GRANT OF PERMIT) RULES, 2014.

[G.O. Ms.No. 1, Animal Husbandry, Dairy Development and Fisheries (AH),

24th January, 2015.]

In exercise of the powers conferred under section 43 (1) of the Prevention and Control of Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Animals Act, 2009 (Central Act 27 of 2009), the Government of Telangana with the prior approval of Central Government hereby makes the following rules.

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1. Short Title and Commencement

- (a) These Rules may be called the Telangana Prevention and Control of Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Animals (Detention of Animals at Check post, compulsory vaccination and grant of permit) Rules 2014.
- (b) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Gazette of Telangana.

2. Definitions

- (a) in these Rules unless the context otherwise requires.
 - (i) 'Act' means The Prevention and Control of Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Animals Act, 2009 (Central Act 27 of 2009);
 - (ii) 'Form' means a form appended to these Rules;
 - (iii) 'Section' means a Section of the Act.
- (b) Words and expressions used in these Rules and not separately defined above shall have the same meaning as in the Act.

3. The manner of inspection and the period of detention at a Check Post or at a Quarantine Camp

- (a) In order to ascertain whether the animals are infected with any of the scheduled notified disease, the animals stopped at the check posts or detained in the Quarantine Camp shall be inspected by the person in charge of check post of Quarantine Camp for the following:
 - (i) Movement and gait
 - (ii) Dull, depressed, normal or excited behavior
 - (iii) Increase in body temperature
 - (iv) Ulcer in the mouth, feet or udder
 - (v) Excessive lacrimation, nasal or vaginal discharge
 - (vi) Sweating and Shivering
 - (vii) Dryness of the skin, alopecia, skin rashes
 - (viii) Weakness
 - (ix) Bleeding through natural openings, and
 - (x) Oedema or swelling in dewlap region or any other part of the body
- (b) The person Incharge, Check post or Quarantine station shall also collect the necessary samples for laboratory examination, if required.
- (c) The person Incharge, Check post may detain animals at Check Post for a period not exceeding 12 hours for the purpose of inspection, compulsory vaccination and identification/marketing etc. For the animals vaccinated at the check post, the animal owner shall be given a vaccination certificate as required in Section 9 of the Act.
- (d) After examination of the animal, the officer In charge shall either allow entry of the animal to the notified Control Area or Free Area by issuing an Entry Permit in Form A, appended with these Rules; or transport the animals to the Quarantine Camp.

- (e) The cost of examining, Vaccinating, ear – tagging the animal at the Check Post shall be fixed by the Director from time to time and shall be borne by the animal owner.

4. Form of Permit granted by Officer in charge Quarantine Camp

- (a) The Officer in charge of the Quarantine Camp shall detain the following animals:
- (i) Which are suffering from any scheduled notified disease; or
 - (ii) Which have come into contact with or have been kept in the proximity of animal infected with a scheduled notified disease; or
 - (iii) Transported by the Officer In Charge; Check post as detailed in rule 3(d): or
 - (iv) Of the species notified while exiting from the infected area and shall be subjected to a quarantine of 14 days in a Quarantine Camp.
- (b) The Officer in charge, Quarantine Camp shall give an official, acknowledgement to the animal owner for the animals detained in the Quarantine Camp. The form of the Detention Acknowledgement is appended as Form B.
- (c) During quarantine, the animals shall be ear – tagged having a unique number (for cattle, buffalo, sheep, goat and pigs) and any other suitable method (for donkey, horses). Animals shall be examined regularly for any scheduled disease. Animals shall be vaccinated against the scheduled disease and provided with veterinary treatment, is required. If animals are vaccinated, the animal owner shall be provided with a vaccination certificate as required in Section 9 of the Act.
- (d) The cost of maintenance and vaccination of the animals during the quarantine shall be fixed by the Director from time to time and shall be borne by the animal owner.
- (e) After successful quarantine, the Officer in charge, Quarantine Camp shall release the animals to the animal owner and also grant the Quarantine Release Permit as per Form C appended with these Rules, under his signature. Form C shall also serve as Entry Permit as required in Section 15(2) of the Act.

5. Interpretation of rules:

If any question of interpretation or doubt arises in relation to these rules, the matter shall be referred to the Government of Telangana whose decision thereon shall be final and binding.

APPENDIX

- Form-A - Entry Permit
- Form-B - Quarantine camp Custody Acknowledgement
- Form-C - Quarantine Release Permit

FORM – A

Department of Animal Husbandry
Government of Telangana

Entry Permit

(Issued as required under sub-section (2) of section 15, of the Prevention and Control of infectious and Contagious Diseases in Animals Act, 2009)

Permit No.....

Quarantine Camp Custody Acknowledgement No.

All the Animals described below are found free from _____ (notified schedule disease) disease and on this day ____ granted entry / exit from / to the _____ controlled / eradicated area.

Details of Check Post			
Location			
Animal owner details			
Name and Address of animal owner			
Animals arrived from			
Animal destined for			
Animal details			
	Animal 1	Animal 2	Animal 3
Identification No.			
Species			
Breed			
Age			
Colour			
Vaccination			
Certificate No.			
Entry Permit issue details			
Date of issue		Signature	
Place of issue		Name	
Official seal		Designation	

FORM – B

Department of Animal Husbandry
Government of Telangana

Quarantine Camp Custody Acknowledgement

Certificate No.

All the Animals described below have been taken in my custody on this day
_____ for a period of 14 days.

Details of Quarantine Camp			
Location			
Animal owner details			
Name and Address of animal owner			
Animals arrived from			
Animal destined for			
Animal details			
	Animal 1	Animal 2	Animal 3
Identification No.			
Species			
Breed			
Age			
Colour			
Quarantine Camp Custody Acknowledgement issue details			
Date of issue		Signature	
Place of issue		Name	
Official seal		Designation	

FORM – C

Department of Animal Husbandry
Government of Telangana

Quarantine Release Permit

(Issued as required (under sub-section (4) of section 14) of the Prevention and Control of infectious and Contagious Diseases in Animals Act, 2009)

Permit No.....

Quarantine Camp Custody Acknowledgement No.

All the Animals described below are found free from _____ disease and on this day ____ release from the quarantine and granted entry / exit from / to the _____ controlled / eradicated area.

Details of Quarantine Camp			
Location			
Quarantine of Animal from		Quarantine of animals to	
Animal owner details			
Name and Address of animal owner			
Animals arrived from			
Animal destined for			
Animal details			
	Animal 1	Animal 2	Animal 3
Identification No.			
Species			
Breed			
Age			
Colour			
Quarantine Release Permit issue details			
Date of issue		Signature	
Place of issue		Name	
Official seal		Designation	

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